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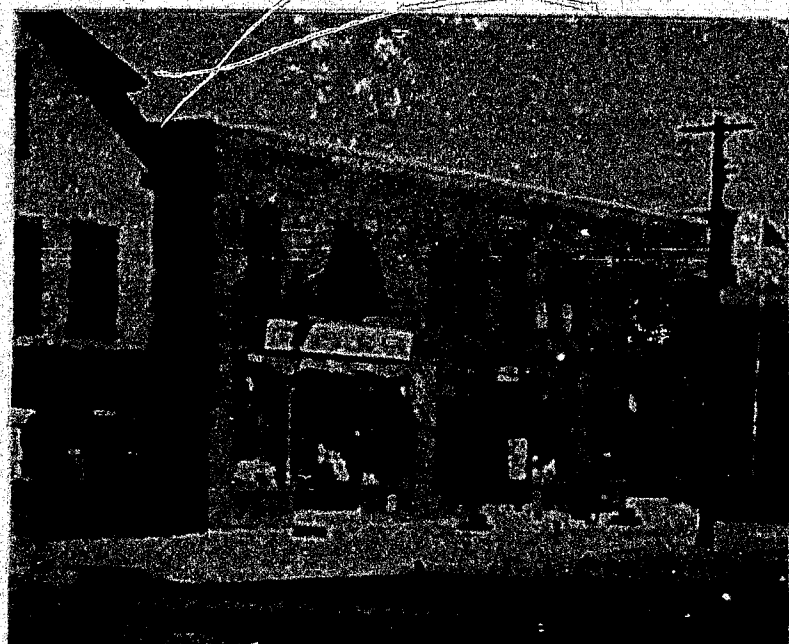
BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1950

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Greigs Buy Building and Store



A real estate transfer the first of this week of interest locally was the sale of the former Naimy block by Harold Chamberlin, who has owned the property the past nine years, to Norman I and June B Greig. The transaction includes the stock in trade of the store conducted by Mr Chamberlin in the building.

The Greigs plan to continue the store, installing a soda fountain, and discontinuing some of the lines carried by Mr Chamberlin. The place will be known as the Bethel Spa.

The building was built by Mitchell A Naimy 30 years ago, and for nearly 20 years he carried on a clothing and dry goods business there. The A. & P. store was located in the middle store for some 15 years until removing to their present location in 1936. At that time Mr Naimy doubled the size of his store to include the former A. & P. space and later sold to M Lahnson of Berlin. Since 1942 the Bethel post office has occupied the store quarters.

The upper store was in use by the UTK tailor shop, C L Seavey's bakery, Sherman Allen's market, and other concerns, before John Rubino of Rumford opened a branch store there in December 1939. For the past eight years Mr Chamberlin has conducted a general store there.

Mr Chamberlin came here from Winthrop in 1933 when he succeeded David Fieldman in a fruit store in the nearby wooden building. Mr and Mrs Chamberlin plan to return to their home in Winthrop.

SQUARE DANCE ASSOCIATION GROWING STEADILY

The Oxford County Square Dance Association was organized on January 22, 1950, by a small group of square and folk dance enthusiasts. It now has a membership of over 80 and is steadily growing. Its state officers for 1950 are as follows: president, Kenneth Palmer; West Peru; vice-president, Ollie Dudley, Bryant Pond; secretary, Lillian Abbott, East Sumner; treasurer, Verona Linnell, West Peru; Board of Executives—Forrest Hammond, West Sumner; Donald Lane, West Peru; Leslie Irlan, Peru; Bill Welch, Dixfield; Malcolm Doyen, Livermore; Marie Picarelli, Farmington; Alfred Chesley, East Sumner; Mrs Earl Davis, Mexico.

Meetings are held monthly in various towns throughout Oxford County. These meetings consist of a full evening of dancing, with a brief business session at intermission. On alternate months, we have a well-known "outside" caller, who takes over the evening's program. At other meetings, dancing is free to members. Others are charged a small admission. At these dances, anyone interested in calling dances is urged to try and give instruction. Membership is open to any person over 12 years of age, procured by contacting the secretary.

This Association came into being largely through the efforts of Alice Dudley, Bryant Pond. She is our local "well-known" caller, is affiliated with Folk Dance Camp at Kears Lake, and secures outside callers for us. The next meeting will be held at West Paris Gymnasium, with Joe Perkins of Topsham, Mass., as caller. Everyone is welcome to attend this dance, admission is 50c for members, and 10c for non-members. —Lillian Abbott, secretary.

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G. L. KNEELAND, D. O.
General Practice

Hours: 10 a. m.—12 m.; 2-4, 8-8 p. m.
Except Wednesday Afternoon and Sundays
Tel. 24

NEW MEMBERS ELECTED TO GOULD STUDENT COUNCIL

The following students were elected to the Student Council of Gould Academy for the school year of 1950-1951:

Juniors: Leslie Streeter, Addison Saunders, Eileen Linnell, Mary Hastings.

Sophomores: John Willard, Roger Adams, Marilyn Mace, Norah Horsfield.

Freshmen: Paul Bartlett, Richard Emery, Marie Mills, Henrietta Swain.

ACADEMIES HOLDING JOINT CONCERT HERE SUNDAY

On Sunday evening, May 14, at seven o'clock, students from Bridgton, Fryeburg and Gould Academies will give a joint concert in the William Bingham Gymnasium.

Sixty students selected from the three schools will sing together the following numbers: Salute to the Flag, Malotte; It's a Grand Night for Singing, Rogers; May Day Carol, Deems Taylor; Vesper Hymn, Russian Air; God of Our Fathers, Fred Waring arrangement.

In addition each will present two numbers, either instrumental or vocal.

Gould Academy will be represented in a flute and clarinet duet, played by Eileen Linnell and David Payor and a boys chorus singing "Kentucky Babe," by Gelbel and "Away to Rio" an old sea chanty.

On Wednesday evening May 17 the same concert will be given in Bridgton and again on Wednesday afternoon, May 24, at Fryeburg.

34 YEARS AGO TODAY

On May 11, 1916, sparks from a bonfire at West Bethel ignited the "beehive" building nearby which burned to the ground. A high wind carried embers a quarter of a mile and started a woods fire which finally burned out on the slopes of the Grover Hill region late that afternoon. Bethel village appeared to be threatened and firemen from other towns were on hand. The work of many volunteers was without avail in the wind and valuable timberland was damaged.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY The Mundt-Allen Unit, American Legion Auxiliary met at the Legion Rooms, May 9

The following were elected: president, Mrs John Compass; vice-president, Mrs Raymond Dexter; second vice-president, Mrs Earl Cummings; secretary, Mrs Errol Cummings; treasurer, Mrs Chester Chapman; Historian, Mrs A Daniel Forbes; Chaplain, Mrs P Irlan French; Sergeant-at-Arms, Mrs Roy Bennett. Installation will be held at the next meeting, May 22. Legionnaires are invited for refreshments.

Legates appointed to attend the American Legion Convention in June are: Mrs John Compass, Mrs Errol Cummings, Mrs Frances Bennett. Selected as alternates were: Mrs Wilfred Baker, Mrs Raymond Dexter, Mrs John Grover.

Mrs Raymond Dexter reported on the trip to Togus on April 30. It was voted to hold a Food Sale at the American Legion Rooms from 2 to 5 P. M., May 20. Committee in charge is as follows: Mrs John Compass, Mrs Roy Bennett, Mrs Raymond Dexter.

It was voted to help the Legion with fireworks.

After the meeting Mother's Day was observed by readings by members.

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CONGREGATIONAL CRADLE ROLL ENTERTAINED

A group of members of the Congregational Cradle Roll and their mothers were entertained at a party Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs G L Kneeland. Mrs Kneeland was assisted by Mrs Loton Hutchinson. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs Dana Brooks and Jack, Mrs Norris Brown and Susan, Mrs Fred Lawler and Anne, Mrs Roland Gilnes and Heidi, Mrs Roger Potter and Barbara, Mrs Herbert Kittredge and Kathy, Mrs Edward Wheeler and Wendy, Mrs Harry Kuzylt and Peter, Mrs Frank Lowell and David, Mrs Hutchinson and Barbara Jan.

A second group was entertained on Tuesday afternoon. This group included Mrs George Lohrop and Diane, Mrs George Taylor and Bruce, Mrs Rodney Eames, Loraine and William, Mrs Louis Paul, Eric and Louis Craig, Mrs Leland Brown and Jeffrey, Mrs Homer Smith, Jr., and Larry, Cheryl Greiner with Mrs Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven, Jay Matheson with Mrs Wohlfarth, Mrs Loton Hutchinson and Barbara, Mrs Ava Austin.

THREE HOME GAMES FOR GOULD NEXT WEEK

Local diamond fans will be treated to three home games next week as the "Blue and Gold" pastimers dig-in for a home stand. On Tuesday at 3:30 the Mexico Pintos will be the opponent, while on Friday at 3:30 the Bates College Freshmen will make their first appearance on the local field. Saturday at 1:45 Norway High will be seeking a win over Gould after dropping their initial contest to the Bowhay men, 3-4.

CONGREGATION LADIES CLUB MET LAST THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The Ladies Club of the Congregational Church met Thursday afternoon, May 4, at the home of Mrs Emma Van Den Kerckhoven. Nineteen members were present. At the business meeting the following committees and arrangements were scheduled:

The date of the rummage and food sale to be held in Garland Chapel will be this Saturday, May 13. The committees in charge are: Rummage Sale: Mrs Elmer Bennett, Miss Harriett Merrill, Mrs Harriett Hall, Food Sale: Mrs Chester Briggs, Mrs Robert Nichols, Mrs Thomas Brown. Those who have articles suitable for the rummage sale please contact a member of the committee for collection.

The following appointments for the annual summer sale and strawberry festival were made: date to be announced later. Strawberry Festival Committee: Mrs Chester Briggs, Chairman; Mrs E E Whitney, Mrs Dan Durell, Mrs Henry Boyker, Mrs Robert Nichols, Mrs Henry Godwin, Mrs Grace MacFarlane, Mrs Mary Clark, Mrs Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven.

For the Summer Sale the committees are: Approns—Mrs Russell Graham, Mrs Charles Cornell, Mrs A Van Den Kerckhoven, Mrs Harriett Hall, Mrs H M Farwell, Mrs W J Upson, Mrs Fred Edwards, Mrs Wilfred Bartlett, Mrs Grace Hubbard. Gifts and Bags—Mrs Grace Philbrook, Mrs Elmer Allen, Mrs Jeanette Trefethen, Miss Eva Bean, Miss Harriett Merrill, Mrs Frances Hodgdon, Mrs Gayle Foster, Candy—Mrs Beatrice Brown, Mrs Florence Hastings, Mrs Thomas Brown, Mrs Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven, Mrs Paul Thurston. Plants—Mrs R R Tibbetta, Mrs G L Thurston, Mrs Walter Tikander, Mrs Violet Bennett.

The excellent program of the afternoon was in charge of Mrs Elwood Ireland who spoke of her recent visit in Washington, D C. She then presented two students of Gould Academy. Miss Laura Williams, who played "Joba" a negro dance and a waltz by Chopin, the second number she was to give at the Western Maine Music Festival in Sanford on May 6. Miss Lela Pelkey gave two readings, "The Lilaic Lady" and "The Coat."

The next meeting will be a picnic at the Tikander camp, Songo Pond, date to be announced later, depending on fair weather.

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PERCY O. BRINCK

The many friends of Percy Brinck were shocked Friday to hear of his death. Although he had been in failing health for several years, he and Mrs Brinck had celebrated their golden wedding the previous Sunday at a family dinner party here.

Mr Brinck's death occurred at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, where he had been taken from his home at West Paris the day before.

He was born at Harriestown, N. Y., April 13, 1882, the son of Rouben and Ella Myers Brinck. He was for many years a resident of Newry and Bethel, and lived at South Paris before moving to West Paris. For a long time he was employed in dower mills.

Mr Brinck was a member of Mount Abram Lodge, IOOF, Bethel; Onward Rebekah Lodge and Molly Ockett Encampment, IOOF, West Paris; Bear River Grange, Newry; Norway Choral Society and Norway Second Congregational Church.

Besides his wife, the former Annetta Nickerson, he is survived by three daughters, Mrs Ferol Godwin of Bethel, Mrs Madeline Dudley of West Paris, and Mrs Kathryn Lewis of Springfield, Mass.; three grandchildren; two brothers, Walter of Bethel and Arthur of Portland; and two sisters, Mrs Besie Parker of Livermore Falls, and Mrs Ethel Parker of Crystal, N. H.

Funeral services were held from the Huff funeral home, South Paris, Sunday afternoon, the Rev J Nesbitt Lello officiating. Burial was in the Norway Pine Grove Cemetery.

In Mr Lello's tribute he said that Mr Brinck had a way of making friends and keeping them, and what is more, he cherished the friendships he made. His philosophy of life was in serving, not in being served. He always thought of others. He was more concerned with what he could do for other people than with what he could do for himself. Mr Lello quoted Everett Jack Appleton's "Visions":

To meet whatever comes with
Faith rock-founded
Upheld by it, to question not thy
plan;

To know our dear ones by thy love
surrounded,
Are near us now to help us play
the man;

To humbly walk with him, as children
dren thronging
The heavenly spaces radiant with
peace;

To realize the selfishness of being
ing
To have our burdens lifted first
to ease
Aching, with those the reason for
your ending
Trails for us that are on hard to
bear.

To grieve yet not to live with
grief lingering;
But hold their hand and onward
onward fare.

To stay uncharitable thoughts, to
waken
True gratitude for what we have;
and then
To learn to wait with steadfast
trust unshaken.

God give vision and new
strength. Amen.

AAA TO HOLD ANOTHER MEETING MONDAY EVENING

All interested persons are asked to be present at the next meeting of the Bethel Athletic Association to be held Monday evening at 7 o'clock in the American Legion Rooms.

It is hoped that a formal practice session for the Association team may be scheduled for sometime next week at Thurston Field.

FINAL PTA MEETING TO BE NEXT TUESDAY EVENING

The final meeting of the year of the PTA will be held at the Thurston School Tuesday evening at 8 p. m. There will be an election of officers for the coming year and an open discussion of plans for the new year. It is hoped that a good number will be present to express their views on what type of organization and meetings they prefer. Other features of the evening will be a brief report from the recent State PTA meeting and a stylized dress review by members of the 4-H Club.

Refreshments will be served by the entertainment committee.

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NO SMOKING IN N. H. WOODS

The Governor of New Hampshire has declared a ban on campfires and smoking in the woods. It was announced Monday afternoon.

MRS. ROBERT LUCAS NEW GIRL SCOUT LEADER

A meeting of the Girl Scout troop committee was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs Gerald Kneeland. Plans were completed for the Mather and Daughter Banquet served by the Scouts for the Eleanor Gordon Guild Wednesday evening at the Methodist Church.

Mrs Robert Lucas, the new girl scout leader was present and will take over the troop in June. Members on the troop committee elected for the ensuing year include Mrs Raymond Dexter, chairman; Mrs Walter Jodrey, Mrs Ruth Conner and Mrs Francis Noyes.

GOULD WINS OVER NORWAY, 8-4

Behind the seven hit pitching of Clint Mason, the Improved Husky ball club crashed the win column at Norway last Friday to the tune of 8 to 4. The defensive play of the winners was much improved as they finished the nine innings with only two errors to Norway's three. Marshall and Boyd led the attack with two hits each while Chase came through with a pinch hit single that drove in a run and he later scored for the second run of the inning.

Robinson, Norway pitcher, was the leading hitter of the day with three, while left fielder Allen produced two safe hits. Brown, Norway third baseman was hit on the head by a pitched ball but recovered quickly to be able to finish the game.

The summary:

Gould	ab	h	o	a
Marshall, ss	5	2	2	4
Rolfe, cf	3	1	1	0
Durgin, c	3	1	0	1
Kendall, 2b	5	1	2	3
Smith, lf	4	0	2	0
Hamilton, rf	4	0	0	0
Boyd, 3b	5	2	1	2
Gorman, 1b	3	0	4	0
Agness, 1b	1	1	0	0
Mason, p	3	0	1	3
Chase	1	1	0	0
Totals	34	9	27	12

x-Singled for Gorman in 7th

Norway

Allen, lf 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 || Guilford, 2b | 4 | 0 | 4 | 3 |
Robinson, p	5	3	0	2
Anderson, c	4	1	1	0
Boyd, rf	3	0	0	0
Chase, cf	1	0	0	0
Millett, lf	4	0	1	0
Brown, 3b	3	0	0	0
Tyner, ss	3	1	1	2
Montpelier, 1b	4	0	0	1
Totals	37	7	27	12

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Norway

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Mason LOB: Gould 9, Norway 5	
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GOULD PLAYS PARIS AT HOME SATURDAY

On Saturday at 1:45 Gould will meet the South Paris Cardinals in a return engagement. The Paris side won the first contest 3 to 2 and Coach Bowhay is working hard with his squad to get them in shape to even the count with their Oxford County rivals. Snow, visiting teacher, held the Huskies to one hit in their previous meeting so the local boys must sharpen up their batting eyes if they hope to win.

YON ELDREDGE BACK IN MINSTREL SHOW

Star Performance Promised At Gym Thursday-Friday

"Something new has been added." Earle W Eldredge (Yon), a star in former local minstrel shows, who is a visitor here, will lend his talents to the minstrel show Thursday and Friday, May 11 and 12, playing with Lord's Orchestra on Thursday, and performing in his inimitable fashion in a specialty number with Doris Lord.

Other special attractions include the guitar playing of Clayton Bane; novelty act by Joe Roderick and Rolly Gilnes; dances by Elizabeth Howe, Patricia Carter, Betty Mills and Reona Bean; songs by Harriett Noyes, Win Howe, Charlie Freeman, Dick Young, Elwood Ireland, Ada Cummings and Addison Saunders; the "pikaninnee" directed by Katharine Adams; trumpet duet by Bobby Blake and Frank Flint; readings by Lela Pelkey; dance by John and Nancy Willard; tumbling act by Charles Smith and Eugene Brown.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

To the Selectmen of the Town of Bethel in the County of Oxford and State of Maine:

The subscribers being not less than 10% of the legal voters registered in the said Town of Bethel, in the biennial state election now last past, hereby in writing request you to call a special Town meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Bethel, Maine, to act on the following articles:

Art. 1. To see what action the town will take relative to establishing and maintaining a public dump.

Following Warrant as provided in Chapter 89, Sec. 4 of the Revised Statutes of 1944.

Art. 2. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray the cost or expense of obtaining, leasing or otherwise maintaining such a dump.

Art. 3. To act on any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Dated at Bethel, Maine this First day of May 1950.

Pursuant to the above request the Selectmen are issuing the following to Carl L. Brown, a citizen of the Town of Bethel in the County of Oxford and State of Maine.

Greeting.

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bethel in said county and state, qualified by law to vote in town affairs to meet at 8 o'clock in said town on Saturday, the thirteenth day of May, A D 1950 at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act upon the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To see what action the town will take relative to establishing and maintaining a public dump.

Art. 3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray the cost or expense of obtaining, leasing or otherwise maintaining such a dump.

Art. 4. To act on any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands this fourth day of May A D 1950

Ernest F. Bisbee
John H. Carter
James C. Bartlett
Selectmen, Town of Bethel

A true copy of warrant,
Attest: Carl L. Brown,
Citizen of Bethel

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and wish to express my appreciation to all my customers for their patronage. I am sure that Mr. and Mrs. Greig will deserve and appreciate your continued patronage.

HAROLD CHAMBERLIN

GREENWOOD CENTER

—Sandra Martin, Correspondent—

Jason Bennett, of Locke Mills, called on Ross Martin, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker, South Bethel, called on Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Martin, Saturday.

Lovell Churchill, Mechanic Falls, called on Ross and Roy Martin, on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Churchill and daughter, Christine, called at Don Keene's, Sunday. Leland Farr returned with them.

Benny Hoos and Richard Wagner, of Berlin, N. H., were at Twitchell Lake, fishing, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waterhouse, Elmer and Fred Waterhouse of West Paris called at Ross Martin's, recently.

WOODSTOCK HIGH

—Josephine St. John, Correspondent—

Student Council meeting, Monday, May 1. Oren Whitman was appointed the new Secretary. It was voted that each year the Junior Class will receive the candy, if they want it. It was also voted that the Juniors would sell refreshments at the Fireman's Ball, Friday, May 5.

The Juniors asked and received permission to have a Junior Prom.

The following Student Council members were appointed as a committee to set up the requirements for the Citizenship Award to be given this year for the first time: John Hathaway, Oren Whitman, and Phyllis Hathaway.

It was decided to continue our membership in the HIGH SPOT.

A record is to be purchased each week for our new record player for use during the noon hour and at Class Socials.

Friday, April 28, found the team with Oxford and Woodstock a scoring success with a score of 22 to 1. Basil Greene hit a homer with the bases loaded in the first inning.

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Tuesday, May 2, Woodstock High

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D Doughty; Mills and A Hath-

way.

Thursday, May 4, Woodstock

beat Canton 1 to 0.

Canton 000 000 0-0

Woodstock 000 000 1-1

Batteries: Pepin and Conant;

Farnum and A Hathaway.

Timmy Carter spent the week

end with Larry Cummings at

Locke Mills.

Elgin Tibbets returned from the

Togus Hospital, Wednesday even-

ing.

"Mush" McMillin took all the

children on his bus route to the

movies, Monday night.

Mrs Louise Coolidge worked for

Mrs Richard Carter, Monday.

J H Carter and Norris Brown

were surveying the Brown pasture

lot, Monday.

First transportation in the de-

velopment of Maine was by water,

with the Indians using the six ma-

jor river systems and inland wa-

terways of the Pine Tree State,

while early explorers and colonists

came across the ocean to use

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bays.

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kets of the world.

BRYANT POND

—Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Correspondent—

Fraternal Lodge, K of P, and

Evergreen Temple, Pythian Sisters,

will hold a rummage sale and auc-

tion at the Town Hall, next Satur-

day, May 13, at 2 P. M. Refresh-

ments will be on sale.

Miss Olive Howe, R. N., New

York City, returned Tuesday after

a short vacation at the home of

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett

Howe.

Hazen Emery had the misfor-

tune to saw his hand quite badly,

while working at Stowell's mill,

Tuesday of last week. He was tak-

en to Rumford Community Hospi-

tal, where he has been in the care

of Dr. Walter G. Dixon.

Clarence J. Perham attended the

Masonic Grand Lodge, at Portland

last week.

Orin Mason is recovering from a

severe attack of flu.

Michael Hathaway was the week

end guest of his grandparents, Mr.

and Mrs. Jason Bennett, at Locke

Mills.

Howard MacKillop left by auto-

mobile for Deland, Fla., Wednesday

May 3, and plans to return with

Mr. and Mrs. Mark C. Allen, the last

of this week. Mrs. James MacKil-

lop of North Livermore, is staying

with his family during his absence.

Rev. James MacKillop was a recent

visitor here.

The Woodstock High School

principal, J. Douglas Thompson, at-

tended the meeting of the Maine

principals Association at Hallowell,

Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Luce and

daughter of Boston were week end

guests at the home of her brother,

Hazen Emery.

Mrs. Sadie Lakeway, Mrs. Cleo

Billings and Mrs. Barbara Hath-

away attended the afternoon pro-

gram and tea held as part of Farm

Bureau Demonstration Week

at the Congregational Church, vestry,

South Paris, Wednesday afternoon,

May 3. At the Tailoring Style Show,

Mrs. Billings and Mrs. Hathaway

modeled the suits they made re-

cently at the special training

course.

Fred M. Cole returned to the C.

M. G. Hospital, Lewiston, Monday,

for surgery.

Donald Bennett, Locke Mills,

Leslie Bryant and Robert Farring-

ton were week end guests of An-

thony Berryment at his camp in

North Newry.

Franklin Grange Notes

Franklin Grange met Saturday

evening with Master Edwin Howe

in the chair. The charter was

draped in memory of Ernest

Brooks.

It is planned to take a group of

candidates to Bear River Grange,

Newry to receive the first and sec-

ond degrees on May 13. It was vot-

ed to invite the West Paris degree

team to confer the third and fourth

degrees on the same candidates at

the next meeting here, May 20.

Plans are under way to observe

the 75th anniversary of the orga-

nization of Franklin Grange, at the

first meeting in June, Miss Char-

lotte Cole, Mrs. Lettie Brooks and

Ellis Davis were appointed com-

mittee in charge of arrangements.

SOUTH ALBANY

—Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Correspondent—

Hugh Stearns has bought a new

horse.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spinney were

in Bethel Saturday night.

Lilla Stearns has been at Bethel

a few days with his daughter, Mrs.

Richard Stevens, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway

and family were Sunday callers at

Arthur Wardwell's.

Gene Kimball is spending a few

days at his grandfather's, Leon

Kimball's.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell at-

tended Pomona Grange at West

Paris on May 2 also the Grange

School of Instruction at Norway

in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews

were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur

Wardwell on Thursday night.

John Spinney was at Roy Ward-

well's, Sunday.

SONGO POND

—Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Correspondent—

Miss Ivy Philbrick and friend,

Mrs. Abner, Montpelier, Vt., were

week end guests at Abner Kim-

ball's. Leland Kimball of Norway

also spent the week end there.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston and

grandson, Skipper, were guests

Sunday of their son, Earlon Kenis-

ton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Keniston and

Lona were Sunday supper guests

at Robert Keniston's, Bethel.

Gloria Grindle is able to return

to school after several weeks ab-

sence due to sickness.

Urber De Cormier has returned

to Abner Kimball's, for the sum-

mer.

Erie Stowe has gone to work for

the summer at Wilson's Mills.

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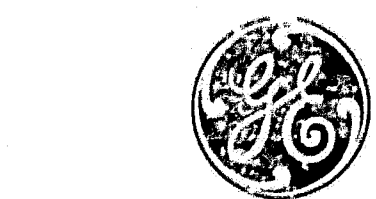
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Isaac W. Dyer 2nd is visiting his brother at Springvale.

Dr. A. L. Walters was a business visitor in town recently.

G. Philip Parlin spent the week end with relatives in Dorchester, Mass.

There is still opportunity for suggestion of names for the new school street.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Eldredge and son Donald are visiting Mrs. Gladys Bean and family.

The Misses Edith and Clara Tyler, Ruth Garber and Joyce Swan spent the week end in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Charlton of East Kingdon, N. H., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Brown.

Abner Kimball is displaying a hen's egg laid on May 4 which measures in circumference 6 7/8 by 3 3/4 inches.

Martha Keniston, with Mrs. Lillian Flske of Locke Mills, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Silas Keniston at West Paris.

The Junior Legion baseball team will meet at Thurston Field Friday at 6 p. m. Players are asked to bring gloves.

Mrs. Mary Wilson has returned to her home on the Locke Mills road after spending the winter with Mrs. Mary Ladd.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bowhay and Mr. and Mrs. Ordell Anderson spent the week end at the Bowhay cottage at Pemaquid Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Carter returned to their home on Broad Street last week after spending the winter in Allston, Mass.

Mrs. Douglas Hutchinson and infant daughter of Mexico are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hastings.

The Bethel Players will entertain the Penny Players of Norway next Monday evening. A special program has been arranged.

Mrs. Estelle Conglin spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. William Steitz and infant daughter, Linda, in Allentown, Penna.

The Boy Scouts have raked the Common and are now raking Kimball Park. Walter Grover has finished trimming the trees in the Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Saucier and daughter Brenda of Auburn were guests several days last week of her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Clark will leave Sunday for several weeks visit with their daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Williams, and family at Woburn, Mass.

Donald Lord, his roommate, David Butterfield, and friend Dick McGee, students at the University of Maine, will spend the week end at the Lord home.

Fire spreading from the incinerator at the E. G. Blake mill on the Middle Intervale road called the fire department Tuesday evening. The blaze was discovered before it had spread far and although there was a high wind at the time little damage was done.

F. Perley Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cummings, and Mrs. Vinnie May left Wednesday to open Boscawen Camps at Wilson's Mills.

Robert and John Greenleaf of the University of Maine and Eidon Greenleaf of Higgins Classical Institute spent the week end with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Greenleaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Ames and Mrs. John P. Howe spent the week end at Cape Cod. Mr. and Mrs. William Danforth of Portland were at the Ames home during their absence.

Miss Julia Brown, Miss Beatrice Brown, Mrs. Norma Jodrey, Mrs. Hilda Donahue, Mrs. Bertha Mills, Mrs. Katherine Bennett, Mrs. Mary Brown and Mrs. Cora Bennett attended the meeting of Mount Hope Rebekah Lodge at Norway, Friday evening.

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As almost everyone now knows, the anti-trust lawyers in Washington have brought a civil suit to destroy A&P. They ask the courts to order the dissolution of this company.

They say that this suit is based on the fact that they won a suit against us at Danville, Illinois, in 1946.

They did. In that case, Federal Judge Walter C. Lindley made a decision against A&P.

Immediately thereafter, in a letter explaining his decision, Judge Lindley wrote:

***"I have not condemned the A&P system.
I have not made a finding which could
be the basis for a suit of dissolution."***

So, now we have the anti-trust lawyers saying that their suit to dissolve A&P is based on Judge Lindley's decision; while Judge Lindley himself says his decision could not be the basis for a suit of dissolution.

In previous ads we told you about the cases against A&P which the anti-trust lawyers lost. We promised to tell you about this case they won. Here is the story of the Danville case.

What Judge Lindley Objected To

At Danville, the anti-trust lawyers made all of the charges which they are again making against A&P today. They were substantially the same charges they had made and dropped at Dallas, Texas, after four federal judges had objected to some of them as "inflammatory."

In his decision, Judge Lindley was critical of some of our activities. He threw some of the charges out of court. He did not make any decision on others.

He even took occasion to praise A&P for the efficient job of food distribution it had done.

Judge Lindley said:

"To buy, sell and distribute to a substantial portion of 130,000,000 people, one and three-quarter billion dollars worth of food annually at a profit of 1½ cents on each dollar, is an achievement one may well be proud of."

"No place in the world I take it are people so well fed as in the United States. Nowhere else, I suppose, do food distributors accomplish efficient distribution at so low a margin of profit. In contrast, we are told in other nations the problem is not one of an adequate diet but one of no diet at all."

But Judge Lindley did find us in violation of the Sherman Act. He based his ruling on the dual role played by our fresh fruit and vegetable buying subsidiary, the Atlantic Commission Company, whereby that organization acted both as buying agent for A&P and as selling agent for growers.

Judge Lindley said:

"If I assume for the purpose of disposition of this case that in general the policy of A&P was to operate within the law and attribute to defendants a desire to comply with the law, there still remains the conscious, knowing adoption by all defendants of a plan of action by the Atlantic Commission Company affecting every department of A&P and every retail store which cannot be squared with the intent and purpose of the act."

In his letter explaining the decision, Judge Lindley wrote: "I have condemned their practices through the Atlantic Commission Company."

Judge Lindley imposed fines totaling \$175,000. When his decision was upheld by the Circuit Court of Appeals in Chicago, we paid the fines. This ended the case—but we did not stop there.

What We Did To Correct This

In the light of the decision, we immediately set about reviewing our activities to be sure that there could never again be any criticism of our operations.

First, the Atlantic Commission Company abandoned the dual role to which Judge Lindley objected and which he said was the basis of his decision against us.

We did this even though the Atlantic Commission Company had been licensed for many years by the United States Department of Agriculture to act as both a buyer and seller of fresh fruits and vegetables.

The Atlantic Commission Company now only buys for A&P. In other words, we stopped doing the thing which Judge Lindley said put us in violation of the Sherman Act.

We made additional changes in other methods of operation which Judge Lindley had questioned at Danville, even though he did not base his decision on them.

We did even more than this!

We went down to Washington and asked the anti-trust lawyers what else they thought we should do to conform to their new interpretation of the vague anti-trust laws.

The only answer we ever got was that we should break up this company!

Despite their claim that they were not opposed to A&P's size, they insisted that we destroy this size.

Despite their claim that they were not opposed to our manufacturing operations, they insisted that we get rid of our factories which produce many of the fine foods you buy at A&P.

Despite their claim that they were not opposed to our low prices, they insisted that we destroy many of the efficiencies that make these low prices possible.

In other words, they insisted upon the dissolution of A&P.

We were still trying to find out from the anti-trust lawyers what else they thought we should do to conform to the law when they filed the current suit to destroy A&P.

Why, Then, Do They Want To Put A&P Out Of Business?

Ever since this suit was filed, the anti-trust lawyers have been making damaging statements that could seriously hurt our business if they were believed by the public.

They say that we were found guilty at Danville of all the charges they are making today.

This is not true. Judge Lindley did not sustain all of the charges of the anti-trust lawyers.

They say this suit is designed to enforce the law.

But A&P has clearly demonstrated its sincere desire to abide by the spirit, as well as the letter of the law.

They say they are seeking to "enjoin" A&P from engaging in certain "alleged" practices.

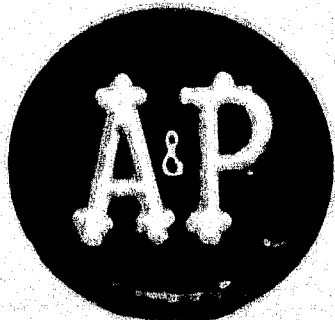
Actually, the whole purpose of this suit is not to "enjoin" us, but to put us out of business.

They say that this suit for dissolution is based on the decision handed down by Judge Lindley in Danville.

But Judge Lindley has said of his decision: "I have not made a finding which could be the basis for a suit of dissolution."

What, then, is the real reason why the anti-trust lawyers want to destroy this company, which for 90 years has pioneered the methods of distribution which have given the American people more good food for their money?

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Mrs. Mary Mills, Corres.
Mrs. Hannah Coolidge has returned to her home after being away for the winter months.

James Norton of Bangor is visiting with his brother, George, and other relatives at the present time. King Bartlett who has spent the winter at Boston has returned to his camp on Round Pond.

A food sale will be held at Rand's store on Friday afternoon. The girls' softball team is having the sale.

Albert Piper of Rumford was a week end guest of Norwood Ford. Mrs. Merle Lurvey returned home Monday evening after spending the past three weeks at Marquette, Michigan.

Miss June Swan was a week end guest of her cousin, Mrs. Ralph Bacon at West Paris.

Mrs. Edna Morse is out after being confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. Myra Jordan is assisting Mrs. Bertha Davis at the Post Office during the absence of Mrs. Adelaide Lister, Postmaster.

The Community Club met at the town hall Tuesday evening with 14 members and two visitors present. The club was very happy to see Mrs. Bertha Emmons present as this was the first meeting she had been able to attend for about two years. A new member was admitted to the club, Mrs. Dora Ford and

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said April. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of May A. D. 1950, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Mary Ella Clark, late of Bethel, deceased; First and final account presented for allowance by Fred L. Clark, executor.

Carol D. Johnson, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Nina Crouse or some other suitable person as administratrix of the estate of said deceased, with bond, presented by Nina Crouse, a creditor.

Ernest T. Brooks, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Carl Brooks or some other suitable person as administrator of the estate of said deceased, with bond, presented by Francis E. Brooks, an heir-at-law.

Lily B. Burbank, late of Bethel, deceased; First and final account presented for allowance by John S. Burbank, executor.

Charles P. Day, late of Greenwood, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Charles W. Day as administrator of the estate of said deceased without bond, presented by Charles W. Day, son and heir-at-law.

Dana C. Philbrook, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Grace E. Philbrook as administratrix of the estate of said deceased without bond, presented by Grace E. Philbrook, widow and heir-at-law.

Barbara R. Hastings, et al., of Bethel minor wards; Third account presented for allowance by Ruth C. Hastings, guardian.

Witness, Armand A. Dufresne, Jr., Acting Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty.

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Mrs. Mary Mills have been appointed to serve on the refreshment committee for the next meeting, and Mrs. Esther Leach and Mrs. Bertha Davis were appointed on the entertainment committee. After a brief meeting, refreshments were served.

The annual meeting of the Greenwood branch of the Southern Oxford Red Cross Chapter will be held at the school house on Monday, May 15, at 7:30 P. M.

In the opening game of the season, the Locke Mills Grammar School crushed Bryant Pond, 9-2, on the latter's home diamond. The Lions' pitcher, Skip Melville, had the game under control all the way. He gave up but two hits and struck out twelve. Bill Mason belted a long triple, while Melville contributed a two-bagger. Ed Mason got two hits. Great defensive play was displayed by Verne Corkum. Starring in defeat was speedy Herbie Whitman.

Locke Mills
Martin, 2b
Chase, ss
Melville, p
W. Mason, cf
E. Mason, 1b
V. Corkum, c
Bowers, 3b
Roberts, 1f
Emery, rf

Bryant Pond
Farrington, 2b
Whitman, ss
McInnis, p
Coffin, 1b
Knight, 3b
Wilson, cf
Johnson, lf
Mullen, rf
Cary, rf
Wermenchuk, c

Locke Mills 200 052 0-3
Bryant Pond 100 001 0-2
Umpires—Hazelton and Andrews

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the 2nd day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty, from day to day from the 2nd day of said May. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Rumford on the fourth Tuesday of May A. D. 1950, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Georgia A. Gorman, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Colla K. Gorman or some other suitable person as administratrix of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Fred Gorman, widower and heir-at-law.

Witness, Armand A. Dufresne, Jr., Acting Judge of said Court at Paris, this 2nd day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty.

29 EARLE H. CLIFFORD, Register

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SKILLINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. William Danforth of Portland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Butters and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker and children called on relatives at Dixfield, Sunday.

Walter Brink spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brink.

Mrs. Daisy McAllister was in Norway, Saturday.

Miss Alice Wight of Berlin was a week end guest of Mrs. John Wight and family.

Lucius McAllister and Mr. and Mrs. George McAllister were in Berlin, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hanscom and son were at Clyde Brooks Sunday, at a family gathering in honor of the birthday of her grandfather, Curatio Parker.

ALBANY TOWN HOUSE — AND VICINITY

Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Corres.
The church service Sunday afternoon was conducted by Rev. Alvin Strong.

Several ladies spent Wednesday cleaning the church and vestry at Hunt's Corner.

The first Circle Supper was held Thursday evening at Hunt's Corner. The proceeds, \$9.25, will be added to the Children's Camp Fund.

Linwood Andrews spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hersey at North Waterford.

Edwin Bumpus is working for Alton White at his filling station at North Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston and grandson, Skipper, of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Keniston and daughter, Lona, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cairns and son, Joe, were Sunday callers of Joe Cummings and family.

Recent callers at Harlan Bumpus' include Mr. and Mrs. George Logan and sons, Jimmie and Ronald, Mrs. Sarah Andrews and sons, Linwood and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Allen, Roanella and Amy Cummings, Joanne Baker, and Mildred Rugg.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leighton were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews.

Mildred Rugg spent the week end with Amy Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Andrews and children, and Mr. and Mrs. George Drown and daughter called on Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews, Thursday evening.

GROVER HILL—MASON

Mrs. Malcolm Mundt, Corres.
Winfield Whitman and son, Donald, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitman, Monday.

Malcolm Mundt was in Rumford, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Abbott (Marion Waterhouse) of Rumford Point are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter born Sunday morning.

Sunday callers at F. A. Mundt's were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mundt; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mills and family; and Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mundt and daughters.

SOUTH BETHEL

The Children's Bible Club was held at the home of Mrs. James Spinney, Monday afternoon, and was conducted by Mrs. Helena Bailey of Mechanic Falls. There were six members present.

The young peoples and adults Bible Club, conducted by Miss Doris Thurlow and Mrs. Helena Bailey was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Gordon, Monday evening.

There were 13 present. Three members repeated three different passages from the Gospel of Saint John, a total of 66 verses.

Crossword

Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

1 Elephant's proboscis

6 Torso

11 Place of confinement

12 Outer layer of the teeth

14 Proportion

15 Southeast wind

17 Six

28 Poem

19 City of Light

20 Cavily

21 To exist

22 Foot lever

23 Stockings

24 Comparative suffix

25 To stagger

26 Bright piece of a step

27 Difficult

28 Cost of passage

29 Keeps afloat

31 Sheltered bay

32 Colloquial: rather

34 Man's name

35 Roman household gods

36 Poster

37 Free

38 Rods

39 Inlet

40 French for "and"

41 Snare

42 Pattern

43 Violent dread

45 Ancient Egyptian city

47 Creator of Sherlock Holmes

48 Surfeited

VERTICAL

1 Merchant

3 Ceremonial act

5 To utilize

8 Strive

9 Pleading into a trap

10 A doubt

4 Longer

7 Burden

22 Matched

23 Second U. S. President

35 French river

38 Puddle

39 Outer garment

41 To endeavor

44 Trap

45 Artificial language

46 Explanation of disbelief

Answer to LAST WEEK'S Puzzle

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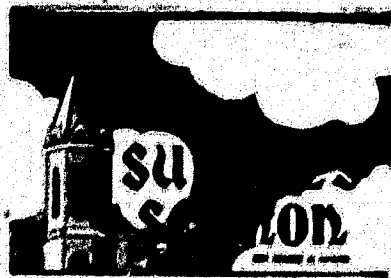
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REV. ROBERT H. HARPER
Church Organization and Leader ship
Acts 6: 1-6; 20: 17-18, 28; 1st Cor. 12: 27-28
Memory Selections: II Timothy 2: 15

THE PRESENT LESSON shows the origin of church organization and leadership, a matter that Jesus left to the disciples. Seven deacons were chosen (Acts 6: 1-6) to have charge of the temporal needs of the people. The high character required of them should be considered by present-day churches. Too often those who are not spiritual men are chosen because they are successful in their own business, or because of their prominence in the community.

Elders and bishops are mentioned (Acts 20: 17-18, 28), and it appears that they were the same. They were charged "to feed the church of the Lord." They were superior to deacons and their work was primarily spiritual.

Divergence of opinion as to the foregoing has brought about the several types of churches. Some hold to the presbytery, group of elders or presbyters, in the government of the church. Others are organized about bishops. Some regard the elder as the highest office in the church. Some regard a bishop as an elder elected to high office, but not to a superior order of the ministry. Still others regard the bishop a separate order. Let us realize that, in any kind of church organization, there is ample room for the service of men of diverse gifts, who make up the "body of Christ," in the kingdom of God.

BORN
In Rumford, May 5, to Mr and Mrs Lee Hutchins of Bethel, a son, Mark Lincoln.
May 7, to Mr and Mrs Cecil Abbott of Rumford Point, a daughter.
In Rumford, May 8, to Mr and Mrs Elmer Cross of Bethel, a son.
DIED
In Lewiston, May 5, Percy O. Brinck of West Paris, aged 68 years.
In Waterville, May 5, Arthur R. Mallett, aged 59 years.
In Norway, May 6, Lillian G. French, aged 72 years.

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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. F. Ernest Smith, Pastor

The Pastor of the Methodist Church will speak on Mother's Day on the theme "A Mother Crowned Her Son." During the service there will be a brief pageant, "The Crowning," illustrating the sermon. The Reverend David Hickland, the recently appointed pastor for Bethel, will arrive on May 17 and will be ready to take over the work at that time. He comes from Greenville, Maine, where he has been for the past two years.

The regular services of the Church are Sunday School at 9:45, Morning Worship at 11, and the Youth Fellowship at 6:30 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. K. W. Hawthorne, Minister

A Rummage Sale, sponsored by the Ladies Club, will be held Saturday afternoon in the Chapel. Home cooked food will be served. The rummage sale is in charge of Mrs. Elmer Bennett, chairman; Miss Harriet Merrill and Mrs. Harriet Hall. The sale of food will be in charge of Mrs. Chester Briggs, Mrs. Robert Nichols and Mrs. Thomas Brown.

"Lady with the Shears" is the topic of the Pastor's sermon Sunday morning at the regular hour of worship, eleven o'clock.

The Church School meets Sunday at nine-thirty.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

The Lesson-Sermon used in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, is available to everyone who desires to study it.

Golden Text: "They that are after the flesh do mind the things of the flesh; but they that are after the Spirit the things of the Spirit" (Romans 8:5).

TRACK TEAM TO BATES

RELAYS

With two track meets and a practice meet with Bridgton Academy for a background, the Gould track team will be preparing next week for entry into the annual Bates Relays. The squad will leave Saturday morning with Coach Joe Roderick and Field coach Bob Scott. Minus their stars of the past few years, they have a tough job cut out for them.

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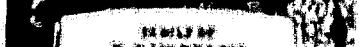
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10 YEARS AGO

Leslie Turner of Wentworth Location and Howard M. Hart of Wilson's Mills were drowned in the Swift Diamond River when their boat capsized while running the falls.

Summer Sewall of Bath was speaker at a Bethel Chamber of Commerce meeting.

Several roads were under water for two days as the result of melting snow and a long steady rain.

Deaths—Loren A. Dresser, William G. Gorman, Channing Scribner.

20 YEARS AGO

The rooms formerly occupied by the Morse Grocery were being remodeled as an apartment.

Construction of three more cabins was underway at Gunther's overnight camp.

Baseball enthusiasts organized the Bethel Athletic Association with Fred Wheeler, president; Elmer Allen, secretary; Hugh Thurston, treasurer; and Herbert R. Bean, manager.

Death—Jane Gibson Goodspeed.

30 YEARS AGO

A reception was tendered Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Wheaton in the vestry and dining room of the Methodist Church.

Purchasers of cars from Herrick Bros. Co. included Frank Brown, Gard Bennett, Louis Lovejoy, Karl Stearns and A. F. Copeland.

Mr and Mrs Ira C. Jordan celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

Walter H. Bond of New York and Newry was elected Governor of the New York Society of the Order of Founders and Patriots of America.

Deaths—Tom F. Hastings, Mrs. Flora E. Webber.

40 YEARS AGO

Dr and Mrs J. G. Gehring sailed for Europe, accompanied by Dr G. B. Farnsworth and George Marshall.

Percy Walker and crew were working on the foundation for a gasoline tank below the station.

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STATE OF MAINE TOWN OF BETHEL

Notice to Innkeepers and Common Victualers

The Municipal Licensing Board of the Town of Bethel will be in session on Saturday, the 13th of May next at 2:30 o'clock p. m., to license such persons of good moral characters as they deem necessary, to be Innkeepers and Common Victualers in the Town of Bethel for the current year. All persons desiring to be licensed shall make application and shall be required to file with said application their bond in the penal sum of three hundred dollars for a Victualer's and, or Innkeeper's license before May 13th next, at the Selectman's Office.

Dated at Bethel, Maine, this 4th day of May, A. D. 1950.

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